

August 13, 2021

Welcome to the City of Lake Stevens!

Dear Southeast Interlocal Annexation Area Resident,

On behalf of the Lake Stevens City Council and staff, we would like to welcome you into the City of Lake Stevens. The City Council adopted Ordinance 1112 earlier this year authorizing the annexation of the area subject to an interlocal agreement between the city, Snohomish County, and the Lake Stevens Sewer District, which became effective on August 10, 2021.

We are truly excited to have you join the community. Attached to this letter is a welcome brochure that identifies opportunities you now have to serve within your community as well as services provided to you by city departments and partner agencies. The brochure includes contact information for City Hall and community providers, and you can also follow us on Facebook (https://facebook.com/LakeStevensGov/) and Twitter (https://twitter.com/LakeStevensWA)

**Important: Calm River, a private consulting firm hired by the city, will be gathering census information for the State Office of Financial Management (OFM) via a door-to-door census of your neighborhood. This is required by state law and helps to ensure proper distribution of state funds for municipal services such as police protection. Residents will be asked to provide the names of all persons living full time in their household. All information you provide is intended to be kept strictly confidential, and after verification by OFM, all records are destroyed.

Calm River employees will carry an identification badge with their name and picture on it. However, if you prefer not provide information at the door, you may also provide the information via a toll-free number (800-579-6830) or secure website (https://calmriver.wixsite.com/lakestevens).

Welcome to Lake Stevens - One Community Around the Lake. We are ready to serve your local government needs.

Sincerely,

Brett Gailey, Mayor of Lake Stevens